

**STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 3.73(b)**  
**ESTABLISHMENT OF ASSIGNEE**

Applicant : Pomarede et al.  
App. No. : 10/626217  
Filed : July 24, 2003  
For : SURFACE PREPARATION PRIOR TO DEPOSITION

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

**ASM AMERICA, INC.**, a Corporation, is the Assignee of the entire right, title, and interest of the above-referenced application by virtue of the chain of title, in reverse order, from the inventor(s) to the current Assignee as shown by the following recorded assignments:

1. Assignment from Christopher Pomarede, Jeff Roberts, and Eric Shero to ASM AMERICA, INC. recorded in the USPTO on **August 31, 2001**, at Reel/Frame **012137 / 0947**.

The undersigned is an agent of **Customer No. 68,852** and is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee as provided in the attached copy of the "Revocation and General Power of Attorney." Please recognize and change the correspondence address for the above-identified application to **Customer No. 68,852**.

Respectfully submitted,  
KNOBBE, MARTENS, OLSON & BEAR, LLP

Dated: August 22, 2007

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